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FM AMEMBASSY ROME

TO US SETAF VICENZA IT IMMEDIATE

40TH TACGP AVIANO AB IMMEDIATE

SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9977

INFO SEC DEF DOD/ISA IMMEDIATE

JCS//WASHDC IMMEDIATE

USCINCEUR IMMEDIATE

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USAFE IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL TRIESTE IMMEDIATE

8TH SPT GRU LIVORNO IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SWEL IT

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE FOR FRIULI

REF: STATE 227509

1. MFA (RIPANDELLI) PHONED EMBASSY FOR FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS THIS MORNING.ITALIAN RED CROSS TASKED WITH SUPPLYING TWO 50-BED EMERGENCY HOSPITALS FOR TOLMEZZO AND OSOPPO.IT UNDERSTANDS U.S.MILITARY HAS PRE-FAB BUILDINGS AVAILABLE WHICH COULD BE USED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

2. FOR SETAF AND AVIANO.DO YOU HAVE SUCH BUILDINGS WHICH COULD BE TURNED OVER TO RED CROSS.

3. FOR STATE.ZAMBERLETTI RENAMED EXTRAORDINARY COMMISSIONER FOR FRIULI SEPT 13 AND STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED.REQUEST YOU UNCLASSIFIED

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OBTAIN AUTHORIZATPON FOR US MILITARY IN AREA TO PROVIDE EMRGENCY

ASSISTANCE.ANY ADDITIONAL REQUESTS WILL BE REPORTED AS RECEIVED

4. MINISTER INTERIOR HOLDING MEETING OF ALL ITALIAN AGENCIES CONCERNED WPTH EARTHQUAKE RELIEF MORNING SEPT 16 AND WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AT THAT TIME WHETHER PRE-FABS AVAILABLE.REQUIRE RESPONSE BY OPENING OF BUSINESS TOMORROW.GOI WILL ALSO DETERMINE WHAT FURTHER ASSISTANCE THEY WILL ASK FROM US AT MEETING.

5. TRIESTE REPORTING IN DETAIL IN SITUATION OF FRIULI. WHAT IS CLEAR IS THAT 40-60,000 PEOPLEMUST BE EVACUATED IMMEDIATELY TO REQUISITIONED HOUSING OR PUT IN SOME SORT OF TEMPORARY HOUSING.MOST OF HOUSES REPAIRED FOLLOWING FIRST EARTHQUAKES ARE NOW UNUSABLE.WE ANTICIPATE GOI MAY NEED HELP WITH MASS TRANSPORTATION AND PROVISION OF SEMI-PERMANENT SHELTER WHICH CAN BE PUT IN PLACE WITHOUT DELAY.BEAUDRY

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